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Applicant :	Wayne G. Sainty	Group Art Unit :	2881
Serial No. :	10/577,421	Examiner :	Maskell, Michael P.
Filed :	04/27/2006	Attorney Docket :	ST005US
Title :	Ion source control system		

**Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

Dear Sirs,

**In response to an Office Action mailed 9 January 2008, the Applicant hereby requests to
amend the application as follows :**

**Attorney Docket Number: ST005US
Response to first Office Action (9 January 2008)
Submitted : 9 April 2008**

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